

25c coffee, 2 lbs. for 25c at Cash Merchandise Co.

Clarksville will hold a local option election on Monday March 16.

Lenox Soap 3 bars for 10c at Cash Merchandise Co.

WANTED—2 apprentice girls. Inquire at Cohn's Millinery Store.

Dollars made by buying your goods of Cash Merchandise Co.

Miss Lillie Holladay is visiting Mrs. John Mullen in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. M. L. Gregg was visiting friends at Urbana the past week.

Best line of cigars and tobacco in the city at Cash Merchandise Co.

Oscar Roebuck, of West Union, was a business visitor here last week.

We lead in prices, others follow. CASH MERCHANDISE CO.

We carry a complete line of hair goods. COHN'S MILLINERY STORE.

Chas. Haas, of Covington, Ky., is visiting his mother, Mrs. Jacob Haas.

2 large bars Laundry Soap for 5c at Cash Merchandise Co.

Raymond Kirkpatrick, of Winchester, attended stock sale here Saturday.

Mrs. E. L. Ferris and daughter, Miss Margaret, are at St. Augustine, Fla.

Mrs. Elizabeth Evans, of Dayton, was the guest of relatives here the past week.

Granville Barrere, who has been in New York city for several months, returned home Monday.

Miss Anna Dillon left this week for Cincinnati for a week's stay at a wholesale millinery house.

Spargur and McClure have removed their real estate office to the Merchant's National Bank building.

Prof. L. L. Faris, who has been in Indianapolis the past year, was circulating among friend here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shutters, of Middletown, are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Nye.

Charles L. Evans, who has been attending the Ohio State University, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Haynes.

Samuel Griffin, agent of the B. & O. R. R., was called to Chillicothe last Tuesday by the death of his mother.

Mrs. Chance, who has been the guest of her son, Harry Chance, returned to her home in New Vienna Tuesday.

Little Miss Ruth Thomas and brother, Charley, of Lockland, are guests at the home of their uncle, A. T. Thomas.

Mrs. John Newby and Miss Allie McGee, of Wilmington, are guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Krug.

"Billy" Wellbrooke, who has accepted a position with the B. & O. R. Co. at Blanchester, spent Sunday at his home here.

Bert Wilson, one of the managers of the skating rink, received a fracture of the right arm Saturday night while skating.

The fourth annual reunion of the National Association of the battle of Shiloh survivors will be held at Pittsburgh Landing, Tennessee, April 6 and 7.

Stock sale on last Saturday was attended by a large crowd. 41 head of horses and mules changed hands. Prices were much lower than at the March sale a year ago.

N. R. Barrett purchased the building on South High street last week in which his livery establishment is located of J. M. Hiestand and is contemplating a number of improvements.

Wm. Pope, colored, was employed as janitor of the court house by the county commissioners at their meeting last week. He will not assume the duties until the first of next month.

G. W. Nickeson has purchased the Florence Felke meat market on South High and also the building in which it was located, taking possession on Monday. Mr. Nickeson will discontinue his meat market on North High street.

Judge Wm. H. Middleton, of Waverly, was nominated for the third term on the Common Pleas bench of the second sub-division of the Seventh Judicial District composed of Adams, Scioto, Pike, Jackson and Lawrence at Portsmouth last Thursday.

Cohn's Millinery Store has secured the services of Miss Catherine Maloney, of Cincinnati, as trimmer for the coming Spring and Summer season. Miss Maloney is considered one of the very best of trimmers, having trimmed in all the principal cities.

Searborough—Real Estate.

Flour 65c a sack at Cash Merchandise Co.

Mrs. Sarah Patton is visiting her daughter in Dayton.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Kent on Tuesday.

William Coffman, of Norwood, is the guest of relatives here.

W. H. Reagan, of Ripley, was a visitor in this city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Bell have returned from a trip to Mexico.

Miss Margaret Barrere is suffering from an attack of the grippe.

Call on John Pfarr for clothes cleaning and repairing. 151 West Main st.

ROOMS FOR RENT—Inquire of Mrs. Lulu Barrere, East Main street.

Burch Riber spent Sunday in Washington C. H. the guest of relatives.

Miss Lucy Bean returned home Monday from an extended southern trip.

Mrs. Jessie H. Beardsley, of Bainbridge, is the guest of Mrs. J. B. W. Spargur.

A. V. McClure, of Columbus, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. McClure.

Franklin Leslie, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leslie, is ill with pneumonia.

All those taking part in the program will be in costume at the Mexican Carnival Monday night.

A copy of Allen O. Meyers' book on "Alfalfa in Ohio" and a year's subscription to the NEWS-HERALD for \$1.50.

County Treasurer W. M. Porter left Saturday for a two weeks' visit with friends and relatives at Greenfield and Nelsonville.

The Kings Heralds will give a Mexican Carnival at the Methodist Church next Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Admission, 10 and 15 cents.

Miss Imogene Rodebaugh, of Reed Bros. & Co., Cleveland, O., arrived Monday and will trim for Miss Josephine Roush, Opera House Millinery Store.

FOR SALE—Farm of 167a, on Belfast and Locust Grove pike, 1 mile west of Serpent Mound. Call on Enos Gore, on premises, or write same Peebles, O., R. R. No. 2.

The Mexican hymn, which will be sung in Spanish, will be one of the most attractive features of the Mexican Carnival next Monday evening at the M. E. Church.

Mayor J. P. Elton has sold his interest in the Hill City laundry to Dr. V. B. McConaughy. The business will be continued by Messrs. McConaughy and Strain.

We are going to have another house cleaning this spring. All accounts of two years' standing will be published in the county papers and sold at public auction March 20.

HILLSBORO IMPLEMENT CO.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Durnell, who have been spending the winter in Asheville, N. C., where they went for the benefit of Mr. Durnell's health, returned home Monday. The change has been very beneficial to Mr. Durnell and his health is much improved.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian Church will entertain with a St. Patrick's Day social in the lecture room of the church on next Tuesday evening. An interesting program has been prepared. All are invited. A free will offering will be received at the door.

Starley Gaymon, of Sugartree Ridge, was in an exciting runaway last Wednesday afternoon in which he was thrown from his buggy but escaped serious injury. He had started home from this city and was driving a spirited mare. On the steep South High street hill the harness broke frightening the horse.

Slender Pocket Book.

Humphreys' Seventy-seven appeals to the slender pocket book, caused by the hard times, it is the most economical remedy in existence, one twenty-five cent vial often curing a whole family.

"77" is for Grip, Colds, Influenza, Catarrh, Hoarseness, Sore Throat and the prevention of pneumonia.

At Druggists, 25 cents or mailed.

Humphreys' Homeo. Medicine Co., Cor. William and John Streets, New York.

Seed Oats.

A fine lot of Iowa White just received at Richard's Mill.

Buy your fish at Cash Merchandise Co.

Don't forget to come to the Mexican Carnival.

Lowest prices on fish at Cash Merchandise Co.

Mayor Kirkpatrick, of Georgetown, was a visitor here Tuesday.

Col. and Mrs. L. B. Boyd will leave Saturday for a visit with friends in Savannah, Ga.

W. H. Walker was called to Greenfield last Friday by the serious illness of his father.

Charles Hughes, of Indianapolis, was called here Sunday by the death of his father, Solomon Hughes.

Miss Nan M. Murphy, who has been in Connersville, Ind., for the past year, is the guest of friends here.

For genuine sewing machine needles, oil and repair go to the Singer Store, Opera House Building.

Miss Susan Brown, of Los Angeles, Cal., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brown, just west of Hillsboro.

Come in and get our prices and compare them with what you have been paying.

CASH MERCHANDISE CO.

Rev. W. B. Dunham will preach in the Presbyterian Church at New Petersburg next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock sun time.

Miss Effie Rogers will leave to-day, Thursday, for Lafayette, Ga., where she will take charge of the millinery department of a large department store.

Mrs. E. H. Storer and daughter, Cornelia, were called to Marshall last week by the serious illness of the former's father, Isreal Roads. He is now improving.

Sewing Machines rented, sold on weekly or monthly payments or liberal discount for cash at Singer Store, Opera House Bldg.

R. P. ROUSH, L. M.

You have heard many times of Mexico, but you've never had enough money to go. So if you'll just join the band, we will take you to that land.

At the M. E. Church March 16 at 7 p. m. Adults 15c and children 10c.

A market of home made articles as bread, pies, cakes, chickens, etc., will be held at Hiestand's grocery next Saturday morning, beginning at 9:30 o'clock under the management of the Queen Esther Circle of the M. E. church.

Th Columbus Sun of Sunday last contained the following: "Gov. Harris has made requisition on Gov. Deneen, of Illinois, for the return to the Ohio State Reformatory of Robert Bradford, who escaped from that institution several years ago, and is now an inmate of the Illinois penitentiary on the charge of burglary, and whose term is about to expire."

Bradford was originally sent to the Mansfield Reformatory from Adams county, and later escaped and was captured here by Marshall McMahon and delivered to the sheriff of Adams county. He is a brother of the Bradford who figured in the Dines-Hart murder here a few years ago.

Elsie Kelo was born Sept. 2, 1828, and departed this life Feb. 29, 1908, at Berryville, O., aged 79 years, 5 months and 11 days. She united with the church in early life and lived a faithful Christian until her death.

In March, 1850, she was united in marriage to Samuel Keeler. To this union were born five children, four daughters and one son. She was survived by the children, 26 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren. The husband and father preceded her to the better world 38 years ago.

In April, 1890, deceased was again united in marriage to Leah Williams, and after 9 years was left a widow for the second time. She was a devoted wife and mother. Her loving and cheerful disposition won her a host of friends who will mourn her loss.

CARD OF THANKS.

The family desires to thank all the friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted them during the sudden death of their mother. Funeral services were conducted at Pleasant View by the writer, Rev. Elsieah Kneisley.

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The Dog Law.

The law with reference to property in dogs and when and what damages may be recovered for killing a dog; and when dogs may be killed by any person; and the liability of the owner or harbinger of a dog for the damages it may do to sheep and other animals and persons; and the law concerning mad-dogs and sheep claims and the taxation of dogs, are of interest to every citizen of Ohio and said laws are given in full in the Ohio Farm Laws, the book which the NEWS-HERALD is now furnishing to all its subscribers, who pay their subscription in advance and 50 cents extra for the book. This valuable book contains thirty-six other chapters all on farm subjects. The price is \$2.00 but we practically give it to you. It will bring its possessor many valuable returns.

Ship Timber Eight Thousand Miles.

An Australian corporation has just received a concession from the Russian Government to take out thirty million feet of timber a year from a forest in Siberia, nine hundred miles from Vladivostok, to be delivered in Melbourne, Australia, approximately eight thousand miles away, and nearly three times the distance from New York to San Francisco.

It is likely that no lumbering operation of recent years more strongly illustrates the pinch in the timber supply in all parts of the world. In the news of the concession, told in an American lumber journal, is the suggestion of the difficulty that all countries may have to encounter in getting the wood which they need in the future. Every year timber cruisers are going further and further afield and cutting trees which, in former times of abundance, they passed because of the inaccessibility of the forest.

In taking out the Siberian timber the Melbourne lumbermen will have to ship the entire year's cut in July, August, September and October, for during the remainder of the year there is no open water at the point of shipment. What makes this unusual feature of transporting bulky logs 8,000 miles quite feasible is that such unmanufactured stock is admitted free, while there is a heavy duty on all manufactured wood brought into Australia, the duty on lumber, for instance, being nearly \$5 a thousand board feet. At Melbourne, a new mill is being erected to manufacture these logs into dressed stock, such as flooring, ceiling and other products, as well as into lumber.

These Siberian operations differ from the lumbering methods of the United States, in that in this country it is possible and customary to have new mills conveniently near the place of production, though, with the continually decreasing supply; the larger mills often find it profitable to haul their timber by trams and railroads many miles away from their saws. Forest experts in this country say that the hope of the United States for a steady supply of timber lies in the application of forestry to all timberlands, private and public, and the careful study of the economical and better utilization of product. Even so, a severe shortage in twenty to twenty-five years must be expected.

Presbyterian Church.

Preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m.; Morning Sermon—"The Application of Religion to Life" Evening Sermon—"The Spirit of Service." All are invited.

Penalty for Destroying Trees, Crops, Etc.

The law of Ohio provides against the malicious destruction of trees and crop as follows:

"Whoever maliciously cuts down, or destroys, or by girdling, or any other means, injures any standing or growing vine, bush, shrub, sapling or tree, not his own, or maliciously injures or destroys, or severs from the land of another any product standing or growing thereon, or any other thing attached thereto, shall, if the value of the thing destroyed, or the amount of the damage done to any such thing or to the land, is thirty-five dollars or more, be imprisoned in the penitentiary not more than three years nor less than one year, or, if the value is less than that sum, be fined not more than one hundred and fifty nor less than five dollars, or imprisoned not more than thirty days nor less than one day."

With reference to property generally the following provision applies: "Whoever maliciously destroys or injures any property not his own, shall, if the value of the thing destroyed, or the injury done, is one hundred dollars or more, be imprisoned in the penitentiary not more than seven years nor less than one year, or, if the value is less than that sum, be fined not more than five hundred dollars, or imprisoned not more than thirty days, or both."

These provisions of the law are found in the Ohio Farm Laws, the book which the NEWS-HERALD is furnishing to its subscribers for 50 cents extra. That book has one chapter containing 140 criminal laws, every one of which every citizen of Ohio ought to know. It also contains 36 other chapters, all on farm subjects

Decay in Wood Prevented.

It is estimated that a fence post, which under ordinary circumstance will last for perhaps two years, will, if given preservative treatment costing about 10 cents, last eighteen years. The service of other timbers, such as railroad ties, telephone poles, and mine props, can be doubled and often trebled by inexpensive preservative treatment. To-day, when the cost of wood is a big item to every farmer, every stockman, every railroad manager—to everyone, in fact, who must use timber where it is likely to decay—this is a fact which should be carefully considered.

It is easy to see that if the length of time timbers can be used is doubled, only half as much timber will be required as before and only one-half as much money will need to be spent in the purchase of timber. Moreover, many woods which were for a long time considered almost worthless can be treated and made to last as long as the scarcer and more expensive kinds.

Of the actual saving in dollars and cents through preservative treatment, a fence post such as was mentioned at the beginning might serve as an example. The post is of loblolly pine, and costs, untreated, about 8 cents, or, including the cost of setting, 14 cents. It lasts about two years. Compounding interest at 5 per cent, the annual charge of such a post is 7.53 cents; that is, it costs 7.53 cents a year to keep the post in service. Preservative treatment costing 10 cents will increase its length of life to about eighteen years. In this case the total cost of the post, set, is 24 cents, which compounded at 5 per cent, gives an annual charge of 2.04 cents. Thus the saving due to treatment is 5.49 cents a year. Assuming that there are 200 posts per mile, there is a saving each year for every mile of fence of a sum equivalent to the interest on \$219.60.

In the same way preservative treatment will increase the length of life of a loblolly pine railroad tie from five to twelve years and will reduce the annual charge from 11.52 cents to 6.48 cents, which amounts to a saving of \$58.75 per mile.

It is estimated that 150,000 acres are required each year to grow timber for the anthracite coal mines alone. The average life of an untreated mine prop is not more than three years. By proper preservative treatment it can be prolonged by many times this figure. Telephone and telegraph poles, which in ten or twelve years, or even less, decay so badly at the ground line that they have to be removed, can, by a simple treatment of their butts, be made to last twenty or twenty-five years. Sap shingles, which are almost valueless in their natural state, can easily be treated and made to outlast even painted shingles of the most decay-resistant woods. Thousands of dollars are lost every year by the so-called "bluing" of freshly sawed sapwood lumber. This can be prevented by proper treatment, and at a cost so small as to put it within the reach of the smallest operator.

In the South the cheap and abundant loblolly pine, one of the easiest of all woods to treat, can by proper preparation be made to take the place of the high-grade longleaf pine for many purposes. Black and tupelo gums and other little-used woods have a new and increasing importance because of the possibility of preserving them from decay at small cost. In the Northeastern and Lake States are tamarack, hemlock, beech, birch, and maple, and the red and black oaks, all of which by proper treatment may help to replace the fast-diminishing white oak and cedar. In the States of the Mississippi Valley the pressing fence post problem may be greatly relieved by treating such species as cottonwood, willow and hackberry.

Circular 138 of the Forest Service, "A Primer of Wood Preservation," tells in simple terms what decay is and how it can be retarded, describes briefly certain preservatives and processes, gives examples of the saving in dollars and cents, and tells what wood preservation can do in the future. The circular can be had free upon application to the Forester, Forest Service, Washington, D. C.

Notice of Appointment.

Estate of Mary Ann Symmes Gore deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administratrix of the estate of Mary Ann Symmes Gore late of Highland County, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 4th day of March A. D. 1908.

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Window Shades from .10c to 48c
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Knives and Forks, per set40c to \$4.25
Teaspoons, per set5c to \$1.50
Tablespoons, per set10c to \$3.00
Food Choppers\$1.00
Fancy Market Baskets 25c to 48c
Fancy Work Baskets 10c to 75c
Clothes Baskets59c to 98c
10 piece Toilet Sets\$2.75
Cups and Saucers, per set35c to \$1.50
Plates, per set45c to \$1.50
China Salad Dishes and Cake Plates, the kind that sell for \$1.25 and \$1.50\$1.00

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For Saturday, March 14.

24 Sets of Decorated Cups and Saucers, per set50c
24 Sets of Decorated Plates per set50c

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Pretty and homely feet
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And feet you'd like to hide.



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The Family Physician

The best medicines in the world cannot take the place of the family physician. Consult him early when taken ill. If the trouble is with your throat, bronchial tubes, or lungs, ask him about taking Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Then take it or not, as he says.



Billious attacks, sick-headaches, indigestion, constipation, dizzy spells—these are some of the results of an inactive liver. Ask your doctor if he endorses Ayer's Pills in these cases. The dose is small, one pill at bedtime.

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